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THE registration of traffic between Bengal and Nepal, Sikkim, and Bhutan was for the first time undertaken in Bengal from September 1875. The system then introduced was, however, modified under the orders of the Government of India, and a common system of traffic registration was adopted in Bengal and the North-Western Provinces with effect from the 1st of June 1879, in order to obtain as complete a record as possible of the traffic passing along all the important trade routes on the northern frontier of British India. The result of the registration of this trade during the year 1881-82 is presented.

2. The total value of the external trade of Bengal with Nepal, Sikkim, and Bhutan, registered at all the principal routes of traffic between Chumparun and Julpigoree during the past three years was, as follows :—

Imports into Bengal.				Exports from Bengal.			
	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.		1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
From Nepal ...	95,63,394	1,03,17,915	75,42,713	To Nepal ...	55,92,335	56,15,443	55,36,668
„ Sikkim ...	2,51,491	1,67,940	1,67,533	„ Sikkim ...	48,085	80,898	86,011
„ Bhutan ...	3,85,406	2,43,922	1,25,448	„ Bhutan ...	2,89,588	1,96,947	1,05,168
Total ...	1,02,00,291	1,07,29,797	78,35,724	Total ...	59,30,008	58,93,288	57,27,847

3. The value of the registered trade with other provinces, which passed through Bengal in those years, was—

Year.	Imports into other provinces from Nepal.		Exports from other provinces to Nepal.	
	Rs.		Rs.	
1879-80 ...	...	27,533	...	3,61,209
1880-81 ...	...	28,731	...	3,99,170
1881-82 ...	...	4,38,040	...	5,63,732

4. The grand total of the registered traffic under imports therefore amounts in value to Rs. 82,73,764 against Rs. 1,07,58,528 in 1880-81, and Rs. 1,02,27,824 in 1879-80, and that under exports to Rs. 62,91,579 against Rs. 62,92,458 in 1880-81, and Rs. 62,94,217 in 1879-80. The greatest portion of the decrease, shown above, under imports as compared with the previous year is owing to a reduction in the prices of food-grains, as will be seen from the statement given below :—

#### Total Food-grains imported.

			Quantity.			Value.		
			1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
			Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Wheat	...		8,152	13,408	8,427	28,532	46,927	25,281
Gram and pulses	...		54,777	78,635	65,101	1,84,872	2,69,563	1,64,421
Rice, husked	...		8,12,152	7,91,757	7,50,545	30,45,570	29,69,016	19,27,966
Rice, unhusked	...		6,65,768	4,95,775	6,40,698	14,97,978	10,85,553	8,85,226
Miscellaneous spring crops	...		23,140	74,635	43,162	66,528	2,20,330	97,501
Miscellaneous rain crops	...		2,07,530	1,98,113	1,83,065	5,85,000	3,96,226	3,83,517
Total	...		18,31,519	16,52,323	16,91,598	53,58,540	49,87,615	34,83,014



5. It will be observed that there is an increase of 2·38 per cent. in the quantity of food-grains imported during 1881-82 as compared with 1880-81, but as regards the value, the figures indicate a decrease of Rs. 15,04,601, or 30·17 per cent. In the case of oil-seeds there has been a decrease of 1,82,157 maunds in quantity and of Rs. 7,87,760 in value, while in timber the decrease amounts to 1,82,994 maunds in quantity and to Rs. 10,85,629 in value. The large increase in the value of merchandise imported into other provinces from Nepal as compared with the two previous years, is attributable to the inclusion of treasure in the returns of the year under review, a separate head for which was inserted under the orders of the Government of India from the 1st of October 1881.

6. The value of the imports into Bengal exceeds that of the exports by Rs. 21,07,877 against Rs. 48,36,509 in 1880-81, and Rs. 42,70,283 in 1879-80.

7. As regards the duties or imposts to which traders on the frontier are liable after they leave or before they enter British territory, the Collector of Chumparun has furnished the following lists showing the rate of duty levied by the Nepal authorities on the different commodities imported from, and exported to, Nepal during 1881-82.

*Duties levied on goods imported from Nepal into British territory*

Description of articles	Rate of duty levied	REMARKS
Oilseed (1)	15 per cent on value	(1) If exported by river; Rs. 1-8 if
Paddy (2)	6½ " "	exported by land
British coins	2½ " "	(2) If exported by river, 10 annas if
Spices and medicinal drugs	Rs. 4-10 per maund	exported by land.
Sahaga (horax), sandal-wood, salajet (storax), hortal (yellow arsenic), &c.	Rs. 14 "	
Tangis (axes) and kodalies	2 annas each	
Dakin knives	1½ anna each.	
Blankets ...	2 annas	
Oranges	12½ per cent on value	
Ganja ...	25 per cent	
Horses ...	Rs. 5 to 15 per head	
Timber ...	25 per cent royalty per tree <i>ad valorem</i>	

*Duties levied on goods imported into Nepal from British territory.*

Description of articles	Rate of duty levied	REMARKS
Piece goods, European and Native, including carpets, blankets, &c.	3½ per cent <i>ad valorem</i> and Rs. 1-2 per maund	In addition to these duties there is levied on all goods a duty of 1½ pies per pony-load at Hethowra, a duty of 14 pies per pony-load at Bhuchakho, and a duty of 11 pies per pony-load at Sitagarhi, on the road to Khatmundoo
Lace and other articles manufactured and woven	5 per cent <i>ad valorem</i> and Rs. 1-2 per maund	
Vessels of brass, copper, tin, &c.	Ditto ditto	
Spices, sugar, fruits, medicines	Ditto ditto	
Looking glasses, combs, shoes, umbrellas &c.	Ditto ditto.	
Indigo	15 per cent, and Rs. 1-2 per maund	
Cotton	15 per cent, and Rs. 2-2 per maund	
Ornaments, jewel, pearls, and silver and gold vessels	1½ per cent <i>ad valorem</i> .	
Tobacco and goor	Rs. 1-2 per maund	

The Collector adds—

"It has lately been ascertained from a Bettiah trader, who has considerable dealings with Nepal, that some changes have recently been made in the taxes leviable on imports and exports beyond the Nepal frontier, but the exact nature of these changes is not yet ascertained."

8. The report of the Collector of Mozufferpore contains the following remarks :—

"The same complaint as heretofore of the excess realization of custom duties and other illegal dues levied from British traders in some parts of Nepal frontier still continues to prevail. The rates at which these duties are levied along the frontier of the following outposts vary as per details given below :—

			Bairagnia.	Majorpunge
Per cart laden with goods	...	...	6 Lohia pice.	10 Lohia pice.
Pack-bullock	...	...	3 "	4 "
Cooly	...	...	1 "	1 "

"I am also informed that along the frontier of Bela outpost an annual rate of custom duties is levied at 8 as. per cart, 4 as. per pack-bullock, and 2 as per cooly, and along the frontier of Sonburra outpost, 2 pice per rupee are taken on sale or purchase of goods.

"The question of excess realization of customs duties by the ticcadars in the Nepal territory has formed the subject of a separate correspondence, and I propose to take up the matter during my next cold-weather tour towards the north of the district."

9. The sub-divisional officer of Madhubani in the Durbhunga district writes :—

"It appears there has not been any material change in the system of taxation from that reported last year. Duties which are known by the names of *khurchappi*, *lag*, and *sayer* are levied on all articles of trade, whether imported into or exported from the Nepal State. With a few exceptions in particular cases *khurchappi* is a duty levied on articles, chiefly grains, which are exported from Nepal at nine pice (Lohia pice equivalent to about one and a half annas) per cart and four pice per bullock. Some of the amount is collected by the zemindars at the place where the articles are purchased and some is taken by the State direct at the frontier. This tax can be paid once for all by regular traders at their option at contract rates for a fixed period, generally for one year, at eight annas per cart or bullock per annum.

"All animals except cows, which are exported from Nepal, are liable to duty as follows :—

Buffaloes	...	...	8 annas per head
Young buffaloes	...	...	1 "
Bullocks of all ages	...	...	2 "
Horses	...	...	2 "
Hogs	...	...	2 "
Goats	...	...	4 pice per head.

"The other two duties, *Lag* and *Sayer*, are taken on articles imported into Nepal, the former on carts and bullocks at the same rate as of *khurchappi*, and the latter on the amount of sale proceeds at two pice per rupee. An import duty on salt, piece goods, and articles of higher value is levied either on carts at eight annas each or on their estimated value at half-anna per rupee. Grain only, which Nepalese subjects themselves import, is allowed to pass in free.

"It has been found that there exists no uniformity on the mode of collection, nor are there uniform rates of tax strictly followed. The reason of this is that the levying of such taxes is generally let out in farm. In the engagement with the farmers no rate is fixed by the State, which gives them a loophole for exacting more than the actual due. It is said that these farmers take sometimes one rupee per cart.

"It appears that no dues not authorized by the Nepal Government are collected."

10. The information supplied by the Collector of Bhagulpore is to the same effect that was published in paragraph 7 of the Report on the external trade of Bengal for 1880-81. The sub-divisional officer of Kissengunge in the Purneah district states that there has been no change in the rates of duties levied by the Nepal authorities during 1881-82.

11. The Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling gives the following list of duties levied by the Nepal Government on traders entering the country from British territory. No export duties are levied.—

			Duties levied
Cattle	...	...	1 to 8 annas.
Buffaloes	...	...	8 annas
Sheep and goats	...	...	2 "
Coarse cloth	...	...	6 pice per than.
Rice, dal, salt, bhutta, &c.	...	...	1 anna per load of about 1 maund.
Oil and ghee	...	...	8 annas per maund.

As regards Sikkim and Thibet, he writes :—

"No duty was levied by the Sikkim officials during the past year.

"At Phari in Thibet duties were levied on those traders entering Thibet, who were formerly Thibetan subjects, but left the country to settle elsewhere. The rate of duty was 1 to 5 per cent."

12. The Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree writes:—

“Up to the last information I have received on the subject no duties or imposts are levied on traders after they leave or before they enter British territory from Bhutan.”

13. The quantity of untaxed foreign salt imported into British territory from trans-Himalayan sources amounted to 1,932 maunds 8 seers and 8 chittacks during the year, against 2,374 maunds 33 seers and 8 chittacks in 1880-81, and 2,362 maunds and 29 seers in 1879-80 as shown below—

Into			1879-80.			1880-81.			1881-82.		
			Mds.	s.	c.	Mds.	s.	c.	Mds.	s.	c.
Darjeeling	...	...	2,268	9	0	2,268	13	0	1,897	2	0
Julpigoree	...	...	94	20	0	106	20	8	34	31	0
Bhagulpore	...	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	8
Total	...	...	2,362	29	0	2,374	33	8	1,932	8	8

In the case of Darjeeling the decrease amounts to 371 maunds 11 seers compared with 1880-81, and to 371 maunds 7 seers compared with 1879-80, and the facilities for transport afforded by the opening of the Railway will doubtless result in a still further decrease in the importation of this salt. The returns of Julpigoree shew a decrease of 71 maunds 29 seers and 8 chittacks as compared with 1880-81, and of 59 maunds 29 seers as compared with 1879-80. This is attributable to the trade routes in Bhutan being nearly closed owing to a serious outbreak of small-pox which has not yet ceased. Only 15 seers and 8 chittacks of this salt was imported into Bhagulpore from the Nepal hills through Patchpandareah road. The returns of the previous years, however, shewed no such imports.

#### TRADE OF BENGAL WITH NEPAL.

14. The number of the recognized principal routes on which the work of the registration of the traffic crossing the frontier between Bengal and Nepal was carried on during 1881-82 was 27. The total value of the trade registered during the past three years, is shewn in the following statement:—

				Imports from	Exports to	Grand total
				Nepal.	Nepal.	of value.
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1879-80	...	...	...	95,63,394	55,02,335	1,51,55,729
1880-81	...	...	...	1,03,17,915	56,15,143	1,59,33,358
1881-82	...	...	...	75,42,743	55,30,668	1,30,79,411

15. The money value of the imports shews a decrease of 26·90 per cent. compared with 1880-81, and of 21·13 per cent. compared with 1879-80, owing chiefly to a reduction in the prices of food-grains. Regarding exports the decrease amounts to 1·40 per cent. and ·99 per cent. respectively as compared with the two previous years. Of all staples the traffic in paddy shews the largest increase, namely 1,43,757 maunds as compared with 1880-81. The other important items shewing an increase are piece-goods, Indian (Rs. 61,007), iron (3,854 maunds), skins of sheep, &c. (34,809 pieces), salt (9,539 maunds), spices (7,575 maunds), and tobacco (5,393 maunds). The articles in which the decrease was most marked are pulses and gram (13,622 maunds) miscellaneous spring crops (30,587 maunds), rice (44,855 maunds), miscellaneous rain crops (13,239 maunds), hides of cattle (11,406 pieces), linseed (1,04,607 maunds), mustard seed (33,419 maunds), and timber (1,82,835 maunds). The usual statement showing all the chief articles of trade imported into and exported from Bengal from and to Nepal during the past three years is subjoined. The figures shewn here, however, represent the net trade between Bengal and Nepal after deducting such portion of it as passed into and from other provinces through Bengal.

NAME OF ARTICLES				QUANTITY			VALUE		
				Import.	Export.	Total.	Import.	Export.	Total.
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cattle	No.	1879-80	26,751	21,399	50,680	7,50,775	8,84,785	12,35,500	
		1880-81	16,972	7,279	24,251	4,25,390	1,81,975	6,06,375	
		1881-82	21,318	5,435	26,751	5,52,950	1,85,825	6,38,775	
		1879-80	32,739	28,043	60,780	81,630	70,120	1,51,750	
Sheep and goats	"	1880-81	20,836	18,814	40,750	45,668	47,713	93,381	
		1881-82	22,165	21,733	50,998	73,913	54,347	1,27,260	
		1879-80	1,742	7,611	8,153	19,414	1,12,137	1,55,561	
		1880-81	1,953	5,751	7,653	32,545	50,393	1,29,931	
Cotton, raw	Mds.	1881-82	1,571	5,023	7,494	31,807	50,591	1,37,398	
		1879-80	.....	.....	.....	11,092	17,24,116	17,35,120	
		1880-81	.....	.....	.....	24,237	21,74,390	21,98,527	
		1881-82	.....	.....	.....	66,994	18,34,318	19,01,309	
Piece-goods (European)	Rs.	1879-80	.....	.....	.....	15,304	3,97,433	3,12,630	
		1880-81	.....	.....	.....	10,155	1,84,979	1,95,124	
		1881-82	.....	.....	.....	23,448	2,32,693	2,56,141	
		1879-80	14,942	1,529	16,471	1,04,594	10,703	1,15,297	
Other fibres, raw	Mds.	1880-81	11,553	958	12,511	80,118	6,544	86,662	
		1881-82	14,477	1,040	15,517	94,599	6,808	1,01,407	
		1879-80	54,030	10,441	64,530	1,82,550	25,238	2,17,788	
		1880-81	78,209	7,212	85,421	2,68,124	24,594	2,92,718	
Gram and pulse	"	1881-82	64,782	7,037	71,790	1,03,606	19,097	1,22,703	
		1879-80	33,019	1,011	34,030	60,180	8,908	69,088	
		1880-81	74,530	930	75,460	2,20,025	2,690	2,22,715	
		1881-82	43,162	1,711	44,873	97,501	3,530	1,01,031	
Rice (husked)	"	1879-80	5,11,105	3,368	8,14,471	30,42,044	12,623	30,54,667	
		1880-81	7,01,191	7,055	7,08,246	29,06,892	26,451	29,33,343	
		1881-82	7,47,268	6,123	7,53,391	19,19,430	14,711	19,34,141	
		1879-80	6,65,357	1,444	6,66,801	14,97,279	3,349	15,00,628	
Rice (unhusked)	"	1880-81	4,95,772	3,942	4,99,714	10,55,546	8,870	10,64,416	
		1881-82	6,40,080	2,781	6,42,861	8,85,314	3,671	8,89,985	
		1879-80	2,44,039	243	2,44,282	4,85,078	480	4,85,558	
		1880-81	1,87,020	233	1,87,253	3,74,040	508	3,74,548	
Other grain crops	"	1881-82	1,73,415	619	1,74,034	3,60,470	1,384	3,61,854	
		1879-80	70,706	.....	70,706	1,07,927	.....	1,07,927	
		1880-81	43,270	596	43,866	98,206	1,269	99,475	
		1881-82	32,210	250	32,460	87,040	682	87,722	
Hides of cattle	No.	1879-80	7,128	12	7,140	9,353	15	9,368	
		1880-81	12,075	14	12,089	16,892	18	16,910	
		1881-82	47,709	89	47,798	71,375	154	71,529	
		1879-80	554	7,709	8,263	22,160	8,10,700	8,32,930	
Skins of sheep, goats, and small animals	"	1880-81	773	9,438	10,211	6,990	3,77,520	3,84,440	
		1881-82	875	8,707	9,582	25,000	3,48,280	3,53,280	
		1879-80	288	4,668	4,956	2,304	37,344	39,348	
		1880-81	385	5,544	5,929	3,080	44,672	47,752	
Iron	"	1881-82	3,216	6,607	9,823	21,664	45,092	66,743	
		1879-80	101	1,250	1,351	3,630	37,770	40,800	
		1880-81	106	1,233	1,339	3,170	32,650	35,820	
		1881-82	125	1,000	1,125	3,750	58,900	62,550	
Other metals	"	1879-80	4,789	.....	4,789	1,53,248	.....	1,53,248	
		1880-81	4,284	38	4,322	1,38,088	1,316	1,39,404	
		1881-82	5,881	10	5,891	1,88,102	820	1,88,922	
		1879-80	40,003	50,993	90,996	4,00,030	5,00,490	9,00,520	
All other kinds of provisions	"	1880-81	61,421	53,934	1,15,355	6,14,210	5,39,540	11,53,750	
		1881-82	50,902	50,175	1,01,077	7,01,175	6,06,060	13,07,235	
		1879-80	1,340	87,510	88,850	7,209	3,93,777	4,10,986	
		1880-81	898	72,864	73,762	4,024	3,27,342	3,31,968	
Salt	Mds.	1881-82	1,831	81,450	83,281	7,060	3,27,882	3,35,943	
		1879-80	10,588	7	10,595	63,528	42	63,570	
		1880-81	14,001	.....	14,001	95,304	.....	95,304	
		1881-82	12,011	.....	12,011	97,128	.....	97,128	
Saltpetre	"	1879-80	1,64,757	1,686	1,66,443	7,82,596	7,771	7,90,367	
		1880-81	1,47,930	280	1,48,210	5,24,134	1,244	5,25,378	
		1881-82	61,786	1,829	63,615	3,71,829	7,848	3,79,677	
		1879-80	62,652	302	62,954	2,66,271	1,253	2,67,524	
Mustard seed	"	1880-81	1,13,241	1,898	1,15,139	4,94,246	6,510	5,00,756	
		1881-82	81,575	387	81,962	3,10,984	1,409	3,12,393	
		1879-80	.....	.....	.....	140	48,688	48,828	
		1880-81	.....	.....	.....	150	55,048	55,198	
Silk (manufactured)	Rs.	1881-82	.....	.....	.....	1,906	62,555	64,461	
		1879-80	4,695	10,930	15,625	32,865	76,510	1,09,375	
		1880-81	8,076	11,386	19,462	25,732	79,702	1,05,434	
		1881-82	6,412	10,225	16,637	44,884	1,18,575	1,58,459	
Spices	Mds.	1879-80	12	7,493	7,505	192	1,19,096	1,19,288	
		1880-81	900	10,494	11,394	15,300	1,07,904	1,23,294	
		1881-82	80	7,493	7,573	1,408	1,14,158	1,15,566	
		1879-80	11	6,835	6,846	176	1,09,300	1,09,476	
Betel-nuts	"	1880-81	17	4,897	4,914	272	70,012	77,184	
		1881-82	.....	5,314	5,314	.....	82,261	82,261	
		1879-80	490	78,404	78,894	3,600	1,25,824	1,32,424	
		1880-81	1,501	21,338	22,839	10,707	1,58,108	1,68,815	
Sugar (refined)	"	1881-82	260	20,429	20,689	1,900	1,53,215	1,55,211	
		1879-80	7,798	10,276	18,074	50,022	1,25,314	1,75,336	
		1880-81	7,816	16,578	24,394	48,574	1,06,075	1,54,649	
		1881-82	9,379	20,408	29,787	69,063	1,32,651	1,98,614	
Sugar (unrefined)	"	1879-80	2,33,073	.....	2,33,073	9,32,293	.....	9,32,293	
		1880-81	4,03,817	.....	4,03,817	18,55,208	.....	18,55,208	
		1881-82	2,60,982	.....	2,60,982	7,70,290	.....	7,70,290	
		1879-80	.....	.....	.....	5,233	1,56,377	1,61,610	
Tobacco	Rs.	1880-81	.....	.....	.....	18,428	8,07,577	8,26,005	
		1881-82	.....	.....	.....	10,909	2,16,901	2,27,810	
		1879-80	55,703	17,510	73,213	4,21,061	6,88,149	11,09,210	
		1880-81	67,728	20,690	88,418	5,15,515	5,73,758	10,89,273	
All other articles	Mds.	1881-82	63,114	29,051	92,165	5,03,670	7,81,490	12,85,160	

16. *Cattle*.—The number of cattle registered during the year was 26,751 against 24,251 head in 1880-81. These figures, however, are to a great extent fallacious, inasmuch as it is not possible to register the cattle trade so completely as could be desired for reasons which have already been explained in previous reports.

17. *Cotton, raw*.—There has been very little change in the trade in raw cotton, the total quantity registered during the year being 7,494 maunds against 7,658 maunds in 1880-81. The district of Chumparun, with an exportation of 3,987 maunds, supplied the largest quantity to the Nepal market.

18. *Piece-goods*.—The total value of European piece-goods exported to Nepal was Rs. 18,34,818, or Rs. 3,39,472 below the figures of 1880-81; but, as compared with 1879-80, the traffic indicates an increase of Rs. 1,10,700. The different exporting marts in connection with this trade are shown in the following statement:—

					Total value.		
					1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	5,76,002	9,58,220	6,30,017
Chumparan	...	...	...	...	3,46,345	4,42,958	5,51,255
Bettiah	...	...	...	...	75,060	1,43,302	1,75,988
Motechary	...	...	...	...	98,000	1,11,150	1,09,196
Ghorasan	...	...	...	...	51,897	58,548	75,984
Chowradano	...	...	...	...	51,622	25,897	27,405
Chumnapore	...	...	...	...	10,158	9,090	17,844
Kowdihar	...	...	...	...	19,691	23,778	15,912
Other places	...	...	...	...	57,419	70,404	69,090
Bhagulpore	...	...	...	...	1,97,855	1,70,157	1,60,755
Kandowli	...	...	...	...	1,44,967	1,09,806	94,447
Batia Sahabgunge	...	...	...	...	10,495	24,901	31,136
Beerpore	...	...	...	...	26,327	22,841	24,016
Patch Pandareuh	...	...	...	...	9,797	5,423	4,065
Other places	...	...	...	...	6,270	7,181	4,491
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	...	1,76,330	95,978	1,19,770
Bairania	...	...	...	...	35,072	52,463	60,554
Gunduck Sahabgunge	...	...	...	...	6,630	4,000	21,534
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	...	14,490	13,881	20,950
Seetanmurhee	...	...	...	...	30,800	9,654	4,524
Other places	...	...	...	...	80,338	15,980	12,108
Purneah	...	...	...	...	1,31,042	1,66,403	1,19,266
Purneah	...	...	...	...	1,12,823	1,37,214	80,880
Other places	...	...	...	...	18,220	29,189	38,486
Durbhunga	...	...	...	...	1,25,289	1,61,709	1,10,146
Durbhunga	...	...	...	...	1,02,021	1,27,466	95,813
Madhwapore	...	...	...	...	14,112	27,423	50,846
Madhoobunee	...	...	...	...	8,333	5,753	1,846
Other places	...	...	...	...	823	1,066	659
Sarun	...	...	...	...	61,123	73,378	83,362
Chuprah	...	...	...	...	27,482	24,294	24,870
Other places	...	...	...	...	33,641	49,084	58,492
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	45,122	54,334	51,097
Patna	...	...	...	...	65,010	49,853	8,520
Other places	...	...	...	...	.....	1,300	600
Total					17,24,118	21,74,290	18,34,818

19. The several routes of traffic through which the Calcutta supply mentioned above was distributed, are detailed below:—

				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Kutkenwa	...	...	...	4,78,500	8,42,100	4,38,850
Adapore	...	...	...	33,950	66,930	1,71,982
Bairagnia	...	...	...	100	...	9,500
Ruxoul	...	...	...	55,484	41,264	5,181
Tribanighat	...	...	...	.....	.....	2,000
Joynugger	...	...	...	.....	425	1,660
Megahat	...	...	...	.....	526	694
Beerpore	...	...	...	800	75	150
Kandowli	...	...	...	.....	4,900	.....
Madhwapore	...	...	...	1,668	2,000	.....
Pipraghat	...	...	...	5,500	.....	.....
Total				5,76,002	9,58,220	6,30,017

In the case of Indian piece-goods the figures show an increase of Rs. 61,007 as compared with 1880-81, but they are below the total of 1879-80 by Rs. 56,489. The districts from which Nepal imported largely during the year are Chumparan (Rs. 96,731), Sarun (Rs. 54,668), and Purneah (Rs. 46,708).

20. *Food-grains*.—The total traffic in food-grains showed a slight improvement under imports, namely, 37,579 maunds as compared with 1880-81. The different staples comprised under this head are detailed in the following table:—

				Imports from Nepal.			Exports to Nepal.		
				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
				Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Wheat	...	...	...	7,606	13,356	8,360	201	375	374
Gram and pulse	...	...	...	54,089	78,209	64,762	10,441	7,212	7,037
Other spring crops	...	...	...	23,019	74,530	43,162	1,011	930	1,711
Rice (husked)	...	...	...	8,11,105	7,91,191	7,47,268	3,366	7,055	6,122
Do. (unhusked)	...	...	...	6,65,457	4,95,772	6,40,690	1,444	3,942	2,781
Other rain crops	...	...	...	2,44,039	1,87,020	1,73,415	243	252	619
Total				18,05,315	16,40,078	16,77,657	16,706	19,767	18,545

21. The following statement shows the principal marts with the quantities of food-grains said to have been imported from Nepal during the past official year:—

WHERE IMPORTED.	IMPORTS FROM NEPAL.						
	Wheat.	Gram and pulse.	Miscellaneous spring crops.	Rice.	Paddy.	Miscellaneous rain crops.	TOTAL.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
<b>Mozufferpore—</b>							
Gunduck Sahebgunge ... ..	286	3,022	691	5,164	18,436	11,078	38,672
Bairagnia ... ..	878	5,901	6,151	4,062	8,907	10,065	36,964
Mozufferpore ... ..	63	521	48	20,371	2,898	2,698	26,499
Sasamurhee ... ..	60	3,303	2,221	7,791	6,257	1,321	20,938
Bakra ... ..	25	396	.....	18,658	.....	.....	19,009
Lalgunge ... ..	28	154	118	13,338	542	1,742	15,922
Hajepore ... ..	.....	54	.....	3,235	1,161	3,493	7,913
Other places ... ..	762	12,698	9,047	2,03,164	82,102	68,631	3,76,342
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	2,102	20,070	18,276	2,76,393	1,20,303	98,903	6,41,007
1880-81 ... ..	5,062	42,513	36,230	3,11,718	1,02,769	1,00,146	6,98,568
1879-80 ... ..	4,225	28,814	11,708	3,11,282	1,09,207	86,379	6,51,675
<b>Chumprun—</b>							
Kesoreah ... ..	315	808	367	3,427	27,190	2,915	35,082
Motechary ... ..	74	1,462	1,430	6,461	10,148	1,620	30,185
Gobindgunge ... ..	61	281	275	1,351	21,407	461	23,836
Sunrampore ... ..	.....	230	371	1,439	3,778	1,674	7,797
Modhobun ... ..	.....	547	167	576	3,867	1,926	7,083
Burhurwa ... ..	28	174	744	1,131	3,856	.....	6,420
Other places ... ..	675	10,132	12,208	36,151	1,33,087	34,104	2,68,157
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	1,050	19,690	15,582	50,535	2,12,732	43,630	3,42,599
1880-81 ... ..	2,762	11,274	27,238	29,907	1,62,370	68,516	2,76,167
1879-80 ... ..	721	9,482	6,628	40,864	2,22,993	72,508	3,62,221
<b>Durbhunga—</b>							
Durbhunga ... ..	2,267	4,142	2,043	46,409	52,200	3,894	1,10,945
Tajpore ... ..	.....	287	.....	21,340	.....	540	22,123
Modhobun ... ..	21	630	645	3,600	14,978	1,255	21,135
Kantoul ... ..	109	72	81	3,449	6,840	607	11,118
Madhwapore ... ..	37	642	80	719	287	229	1,994
Other places ... ..	185	1,684	1,347	47,529	49,601	3,610	1,09,958
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	2,679	7,413	4,104	1,23,052	1,23,906	10,025	2,71,271
1880-81 ... ..	950	13,816	2,770	1,07,610	61,963	7,090	2,84,908
1879-80 ... ..	523	2,166	2,396	1,72,806	1,28,935	36,131	2,42,947
<b>Sarun—</b>							
Kowria ... ..	.....	98	24	12,804	485	789	14,290
Chupra ... ..	.....	1,064	230	9,550	677	1,125	13,046
Maharajgunge ... ..	.....	342	.....	6,840	2,338	396	9,665
Bauepore ... ..	.....	273	20	6,070	.....	785	8,054
Maaruck ... ..	.....	211	40	2,627	332	335	3,551
Other places ... ..	.....	3,974	1,065	1,17,777	16,164	8,083	1,47,643
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	.....	5,662	1,901	1,56,407	19,936	11,463	1,96,149
1880-81 ... ..	317	5,333	6,188	1,37,829	22,500	18,200	1,90,367
1879-80 ... ..	151	3,448	733	1,22,337	27,690	39,244	1,91,603
<b>Purneah—</b>							
Hattatpooah ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,859	.....	23,859
Kusambha ... ..	109	151	580	5,412	.....	.....	6,261
Mirganj ... ..	36	104	323	3,634	2,412	.....	6,409
Purneah ... ..	.....	.....	.....	340	.....	.....	340
Other places ... ..	499	439	1,028	24,496	94,131	.....	1,21,193
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	644	694	2,540	33,282	1,20,402	.....	1,57,562
1880-81 ... ..	601	600	1,796	40,371	95,173	.....	1,38,131
1879-80 ... ..	308	1,394	1,246	38,400	1,30,176	39	1,71,572
<b>Bhagulpore—</b>							
Kandowli ... ..	19	73	.....	15,401	10,798	1,003	28,194
Beerpore ... ..	1,420	302	.....	7,853	4,183	1,070	14,927
Patch Pandareah ... ..	110	16	.....	1,809	1,628	24	3,546
Other places ... ..	327	132	87	11,473	24,559	75	34,633
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	1,883	613	87	36,615	41,168	3,072	83,340
1880-81 ... ..	5,174	883	23	39,553	24,301	1,518	73,522
1879-80 ... ..	1,078	670	50	42,333	42,654	3,999	91,398
<b>Darjeeling ... ..</b>							
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	.....	4,320	510	52,061	1,878	6,072	65,744
1880-81 ... ..	.....	3,910	246	50,021	2,296	5,618	62,171
1879-80 ... ..	.....	7,555	249	49,044	2,217	6,133	64,198
<b>Other districts ... ..</b>							
<b>Total ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	.....	.....	.....	18,630	865	.....	18,995
1880-81 ... ..	.....	.....	.....	15,304	310	32	15,646
1879-80 ... ..	.....	620	.....	26,630	1,585	471	27,706
<b>GRAND TOTAL ... {</b>							
1881-82 ... ..	8,360	64,702	43,162	7,47,208	6,40,690	1,73,415	16,77,687
1880-81 ... ..	13,356	78,209	74,630	7,91,101	4,93,772	1,87,020	16,40,078
1879-80 ... ..	7,606	54,050	23,019	8,11,105	6,65,437	2,44,030	18,05,515

22. By far the largest importation of food-grains was made into the town of Durbhunga (1,10,945 maunds). The other marts importing 25,000 maunds and upwards are Gunduck-Sahebgunge (38,672 maunds), Bairagnia (36,594 maunds), Kesoreah (35,082 maunds), Motechary (30,185 maunds), Kandowli (28,194 maunds), and Mozufferpore (26,499 maunds).



23. *Hides*.—The number of hides registered was 32,460 pieces against 43,866 in 1880-81, and 70,706 in 1879-80. The different districts importing hides from Nepal are:—

				Imports from Nepal.		
				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
				Pieces.	Pieces.	Pieces.
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	31,879	7,851	3,522
Darjeeling	...	...	...	1,751	2,026	6,226
Bhagulpore	...	...	...	8,127	6,256	8,520
Chumparun	...	...	...	9,215	5,143	4,369
Sarun	...	...	...	6,324	1,903	3,103
Purneah	...	...	...	3,669	14,271	2,337
Calcutta	...	...	...	866	2,335	1,160
Patna	...	...	...	...	19	210
Durbhunga	...	...	...	8,875	3,463	153
Total	...	...	...	70,706	43,270	32,210

24. *Provisions other than ghee*.—The gross traffic under this head shows a decrease of 14,238 maunds as compared with 1880-81, but an increase of 10,145 maunds as compared with 1879-80. Formerly vegetables used to be shown under this head, but under the orders of the Government of India the classification was changed with effect from the 1st of July 1881, and they are now included under the head "fruits and nuts."

25. *Salt*.—Last year the quantity of salt exported to Nepal was 81,450 maunds against 72,854 maunds in 1880-81 and 87,510 maunds in 1879-80. The different marts resorted to for the salt supply are shown below:—

				Exports to Nepal.		
From				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
				Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Durbhunga	...	...	...	16,877	11,475	19,607
Durbhunga	...	...	...	3,474	5,534	12,393
Madhwapore	...	...	...	4,202	3,990	4,007
Kantaul	...	...	...	1,051	374	1,710
Madhuchanee	...	...	...	1,003	167	211
Mirzapore	...	...	...	1,014	24	31
Other places	...	...	...	1,133	1,386	1,203
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	19,260	14,207	17,505
Barragana	...	...	...	2,013	6,610	3,427
Gunduck Sahabgunge	...	...	...	2,509	1,965	4,463
Lalgunga	...	...	...	1,799	1,007	1,830
Sootamthee	...	...	...	2,416	1,172	1,463
Other places	...	...	...	9,533	3,354	4,532
Chumparun	...	...	...	19,484	15,376	16,372
Burhurwa	...	...	...	2,896	4,850	2,708
Ghorusan	...	...	...	3,027	2,163	2,014
Kesoreah	...	...	...	4,642	3,232	1,769
Motechary	...	...	...	572	444	608
Other places	...	...	...	8,557	4,637	9,188
Purneah	...	...	...	14,912	15,514	13,706
Purneah	...	...	...	7,613	2,393	2,073
Mirganj	...	...	...	1,067	1,352	1,566
Jegailbank	...	...	...	643	983	1,123
Other places	...	...	...	5,585	10,344	8,922
Bhagulpore	...	...	...	11,466	12,121	11,430
Beerpore	...	...	...	3,416	4,151	4,764
Kandowli	...	...	...	5,313	2,977	2,791
Other places	...	...	...	2,237	4,993	3,855
Sarun	...	...	...	3,132	2,549	1,706
Revellingunge	...	...	...	833	2,151	1,105
Chupra	...	...	...	875	82	51
Other places	...	...	...	1,425	318	550
Other districts	...	...	...	2,379	1,612	1,124
Grand Total	...	...	...	87,510	72,854	81,450

26. *Saltpetre*.—The saltpetre trade shows a decrease of 1,090 maunds as compared with 1880-81, but there is an increase of 2,323 maunds as compared with 1879-80. The principal districts to which these supplies were sent are:—

Name of importing districts.				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
				Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Mozufferpore	...	...	...	6,824	11,804	3,179
Durbhunga	...	...	...	2,192	1,726	3,762
Chumparun	...	...	...	113	311	576
Calcutta	...	...	...	1,405	...	385
Other places	...	...	...	54	160	9
				10,588	14,001	12,911

27. *Oilseeds*.—There has been a marked decrease in the importation of linseed and mustard-seed during the year as shown below :—

					1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
					Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Linseed	...	...	...	...	1,64,757	1,87,936	81,786
Mustard-seed	...	...	...	...	62,652	1,13,281	81,373

Linseed declined probably in sympathy with the decreased demand for foreign exports. The principal importing marts in connection with this trade are specified :—

*Linseed.*

Names of Marts.		In what district.	Quantity.		
			1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
			Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Lakhora	...	Chumparun	7,283	29,626	14,916
Durbhunga	...	Durbhunga	12,313	14,497	11,559
Seetamurhee	...	Mozufferpore	10,900	3,750	10,692
Bairagnia	...	Ditto	46,799	49,880	9,047
Balia Sahebgunge	...	Bhagulpore	1,056	7,193	8,167
Burhurwa	...	Chumparun	4,921	3,814	2,555
Chowradano	...	Ditto	2,923	3,451	1,214
Ramnuggur	...	Ditto	12,882	5,140	361
Pakree	...	Ditto	12,401	5,336	349
Gunuck Sahebgunge...	...	Mozufferpore	1,918	9,506	267

*Mustard-seed.*

Balia Sahebgunge	...	Bhagulpore	1,200	28,506	9,528
Durbhunga	...	Durbhunga	1,952	8,255	6,628
Beerpore	...	Bhagulpore	4,275	8,039	5,081
Bairagnia	...	Mozufferpore	10,657	10,242	2,577
Gandharbdinga	...	Purneah	643	2,599	1,809
Seetamurhee	..	Mozufferpore	1,786	2,433	1,465

28. *Tobacco*.—The quantity of tobacco exported to Nepal was 20,408 maunds against 16,578 maunds in 1880-81 and 19,276 maunds in 1879-80. The imports from Nepal also show an advance of 1,563 maunds as compared with 1880-81, and of 1,591 maunds as compared with 1879-80.

29. *Timber*.—The import timber trade shews a falling off of 1,82,835 maunds as compared with 1880-81, but an increase of 47,909 maunds as compared with 1879-80. The different routes through which these supplies were carried are :—

			1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
			Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Tribani ghat in Chumparun	...	...	196	16,936	86,253
Kutkenwa ditto	...	...	24,241	66,573	66,099
Joynugger in Durbhunga	...	...	.....	706	41,850
Kalughat in Purneah	...	...	.....	17,328	30,732
Ruxoul in Chumparun	...	...	27,923	1,04,279	21,073
Other routes	...	...	1,80,713	2,57,995	34,976
Total	...	...	2,33,073	4,63,817	2,80,982

## TRADE BETWEEN BENGAL AND SIKKIM.

30. There are at present two stations, namely Pheydong and Runject, for the registration of the trade of Darjeeling with Sikkim and Thibet. The total value of such trade registered during the past three years is as follows :—

Year.			Imports from Sikkim.	Exports to Sikkim.	Total.
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1879-80	..	...	2,51,491	48,085	2,99,576
1880-81	...	...	1,67,960	80,898	2,48,858
1881-82	...	...	1,67,533	86,011	2,53,544

31. There is very little change in the gross figures of the past year as compared with those of 1880-81. In the import trade an increase, as compared with 1880-81, is observable in horses, sheep and goats, miscellaneous rain crops, brass and copper, and ghee. The following statement shews the



value of the most important items of imports, registered during the past three years :—

Chief articles of trade.	Imports from Sikkim.		
	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Horses ... ..	15,975	28,250	48,225
Cattle ... ..	10,450	12,475	6,950
Sheep and goats ... ..	6,365	9,964	15,678
Lime and limestone ... ..	1,213	4,938	9,380
Vegetables and other kinds of fruits ... ..	3,506	6,590	6,486
Miscellaneous rain crops ... ..	44,920	20,664	23,047
Brass and copper ... ..	16,920	11,040	17,700
Ghee ... ..	3,392	2,304	3,552
Provisions other than ghee ... ..	4,480	26,830	1,220
Salt ... ..	9,090	6,775	7,773
Tea, foreign ... ..	.....	.....	3,520
Wool manufactured (piece-goods) ... ..	1,860	16,536	17,294
All other articles of merchandise, manufactured	1,21,953	5,176	3,283

32. As already explained, vegetables were formerly shown under "all other kinds of provisions," but this classification was changed by the Government of India, and since July 1881 they have been shown under "other kinds of fruits and nuts." The salt shewn above is the untaxed foreign salt, of which an account has already been given in this report. The trade in manufactured woollen goods shews a slight increase. As regards tea the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling states that it is probably the brick tea of Thibet that was imported from Sikkim. The large decrease under "all other articles of merchandise" during the past two years as compared with 1879-80, is due to a diminished supply of planks, of which only 6,321 pieces were imported during the year, against 4,342 pieces in 1880-81, and 56,616 pieces in 1879-80.

33. As regards the exports an increase is observable under European piece-goods, rice and paints and colours. The values of all the chief articles, comprising the export trade, are exhibited in the following statement:—

Chief articles of trade.	Exports to Sikkim.		
	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cattle ... ..	6,175	11,575	6,650
Piece-goods (European) ... ..	17,304	23,744	29,121
Ditto (Indian) ... ..	75	2,592	382
Indigo ... ..	5,775	11,760	11,330
Rice ... ..	2,910	3,432	7,313
Brass and copper ... ..	1,000	7,680	5,360
Paints and colours ... ..	.....	1,400	10,920
Salt ... ..	1,044	1,194	760
Tobacco ... ..	5,805	8,016	4,609

34. The Lieutenant-Governor is not satisfied with the accuracy of these figures; and, indeed, the delay in submitting this report has been caused by the necessity of repeated references for explanation of errors. The requisite orders will be passed, and it is hoped that some improvement may be effected in the registration of the traffic. Nevertheless, the figures, such as they are, suffice to shew that there has not been that increase in trade that might have been anticipated from the opening of the Darjeeling Railway, and the completion of a good road to the Jeylep Pass. Probably no large expansion of commerce with the small State of Sikkim can be expected; but the facilities that have now been offered would undoubtedly have the effect of largely developing the trade with Thibet if special causes were not operating in the contrary direction. It is stated that the heavy snow on the passes and the fear of small-pox, which was prevalent in the neighbourhood of Pheydong and Kalimpong, had the effect of deterring traders from crossing the frontier. Other causes, however, have also been suggested to the Lieutenant-Governor, and enquiries are being made in the matter. Apart, however, from the absence of physical difficulties or the removal of intentional obstructions, it is probable that much can be done to foster the trans-frontier traffic by seeking to supply the special wants of the Thibetans with Indian produce. It will be observed that foreign tea, to the value of Rs. 3,520, was registered as imported through Pheydong on the road to Thibet in 1881-82. The absence of any record of this article in the Pheydong returns of the two previous years must be due to faulty registration, as it is notorious that brick-tea of Thibet is always available for purchase in the Darjeeling Bazar. This tea is carried all the way from Ta-taen-lu on the Chinese frontier, and is sold in Darjeeling at many times its original price. It is hoped that the tea-planters of

Darjeeling and the Dooars will make some effort to secure this trade by preparing coarse tea for the Thibetan market. Only the refuse of the tea crop is required for the purpose, and there would be no diminution in the quantity available for export to other markets. Darjeeling brick-tea should undersell Chinese brick-tea at Lhasa and the neighbouring markets, which are only three weeks' journey from Darjeeling, while they are three months' journey from Ta-tsien-lu. The attention of the tea-planters has already been drawn to this matter, and measures are being taken to disseminate information on the subject through a pamphlet written by a gentleman of special experience in the matter.

### TRADE BETWEEN BENGAL AND BHUTAN.

35. The different stations for the registration of traffic between Julpigoree and Bhutan are Ambari, Buxa, and Hantoopara. The total value of the trade registered during the past three years was as follows :—

Year.	Imports from Bhutan.	Exports to Bhutan.	Total
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1879-80	3,85,406	2,89,588	6,74,994
1880-81	2,43,922	1,96,947	4,40,869
1881-82	1,25,448	1,05,168	2,30,616

36. It will be seen that the total value of merchandise registered during 1881-82 contrasts very unfavourably with the figures of the two preceding years. The decrease is observable under almost all the articles of traffic, imports as well as exports. It is said, however, that the trade routes in Bhutan were nearly closed owing to a serious outbreak of small-pox, which has not yet ceased. The principal articles imported from Bhutan during the past three years, were :—

Chief articles of trade.	Imports from Bhutan.		
	1879-80. Rs.	1880-81. Rs.	1881-82. Rs.
Horses	1,49,250	22,275	38,400
Piece-goods (Indian)	3,916	5,741	1,346
Madder or manjeet	25,176	46,344	14,652
Vegetables and other kinds of fruits and nuts except cocoanuts and betelnuts	1,176	1,322	1,155
Shell-lac	.....	17,750	2,535
Ghee	17,024	11,424	10,528
Woollen manufacture (piece-goods)	1,08,442	49,477	17,364
All other articles of merchandise (unmanufactured)	55,445	21,614	12,102
All other articles of merchandise (manufactured)	2,530	20,059	22,399

37. The only articles which shewed some advance over the trade of the previous year were horses and miscellaneous manufactured goods. An enquiry was made through the Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree under the orders of the Government of India regarding the shell-lac trade registered in 1880-81, but no information of value could be obtained upon the subject. The quantity imported during the past year, however, was very much less, namely 51 maunds valued at Rs. 2,535.

38. The following are the most important items of export registered during the past three years :—

Chief articles of trade.	Exports to Bhutan.		
	1879-80. Rs.	1880-81. Rs.	1881-82. Rs.
Piece-goods (European)	51,962	27,871	18,817
Ditto (Indian)	5,351	546	1,117
Rice	47,557	20,526	6,770
Paddy	12,418	16,287	2,405
Iron	296	728	3,894
Salt	293	1,598	1,496
Betelnuts	54,608	75,984	38,946
Sugar, unrefined	2,588	1,712	2,738
Tobacco	97,013	37,259	17,948
Woollen manufacture (piece-goods)	8,600	320	4,657

39. The trade in iron, unrefined sugar, and woollen piece-goods shews some improvement as compared with 1880-81; but under all other heads the decrease is most marked with the exception, however, of salt, under which the figures of the last year are only eight maunds below those of the preceding year.



## APPENDIX.

TRAFFIC INTO BEITISH

STATEMENT NO. I.—Showing the total quantity of each Staple of Traffic Imported into British Territory from  
with the totals of

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		THE FRONTIER POSTS BETWEEN															
		In the Champarn District.					In the Mozufferpore District.					In the Durbhunga District.					
Number.	LIST OF ARTICLES.	Tribeni ghat.	Ruxoul.	Adapore.	Kutkenwa.	Ghorasan.	Bairagdia.	Majorganje.	Sonbursa.	Bela.	Socound.	Madhupore.	Hatwary.	Joynerger.	Mirzapore.	Pipra ghat.	
I	Animals, living (for sale)— 1.—Horses, ponies, and mules ... No.	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	2.—Cattle ... ..	...	454	3,075	...	201	4,070	40	1,037	...	...	...	108	573	618	40	
	3.—Sheep and goats ... ..	...	...	740	...	2,734	218	...	471	...	...	...	280	...	80	...	
	4.—Poultry ... ..	...	14	2,494	...	1,819	188	...	...	...	...	...	102	...	823	378	
	5.—Other kinds ... ..	6	...	32	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	191	47	
IIa	Building material— 1.—Lime and limestone ... Mds.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
III	Canes and rattans ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VI	Coal and coke ... ..	...	104	04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
VII	Cotton, raw ... ..	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	193	3	...	...	62	...	...	
VIII	Cotton manufactured— 2.—Twist and yarn (Indian) ... Rs.	...	39	5	...	...	...	220	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	3.—Piece-goods (European) ... ..	...	10,133	58,573	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	4.—Ditto (Indian) ... ..	...	1,247	14,325	...	...	857	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
IX	Drugs and medicines— 2.—Other sorts, not intoxicating ...	1,435	...	277	111	...	146	...	...	...	...	...	230	...	833	4,559	
	3.—Intoxicating drugs (other Mds. than opium) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
X	Dyeing materials— 2.—Madder or manjit ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	187	
	3.—Safflower ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	4.—Turmeric ... ..	...	230	1,107	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XI	Earthenware and porcelain ... Rs.	...	...	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XII	Fibrous products— 1.—Jute, raw ... ..	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	2.—Jute, manufactured— a.—Gunny-bags ... ..	...	4,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	3.—Other fibres, raw ... ..	...	3	6	...	...	500	2,680	2,731	223	206	...	817	1,063	728	642	
	4.—Ditto, manufactured ... ..	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
XIII	Fruits, nuts, and vegetables— 1.—Cocoanuts ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	2.—Vegetables and all other kinds ... Mds.	39	493	800	...	...	673	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	56	51	
XIV	Grain and pulse— 1.—Wheat ... ..	...	383	537	34	...	1,707	142	...	100	1,077	111	320	882	254	...	
	2.—Grain and pulse ... ..	...	1,510	2,089	4,210	11,056	21,204	1,100	6,395	284	3,004	1,243	4,310	1,610	48	...	
	3.—Other spring crops ... ..	...	3,863	5,806	1,345	4,754	12,604	...	6,783	429	1,327	92	2,336	3,230	...	...	
	4.—Rice, husked ... ..	2,261	25,162	12,101	10,139	1											

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**TRAFFIC FROM BRITISH**

# THE FRONTIER POSTS BETWEEN BENGAL



and registered at the several Frontier Stations between Bengal and Nepal during the year 1881-82, and the two preceding years.

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STATEMENT No. III.—*Shewing the Total Imports into British Territory, district by district, from*

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*Nepal, during the year 1881-82 as compared with the totals of the two preceding years.*

15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
OTHER PROVINCES.				Total of other provinces.	GRAND TOTAL.						LIST OF ARTICLES.
Assam.	Bengal.	Chasipore.	Coochpore.		Quantity.			Value.			
					1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	
								Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.
			349	615	137	65	144	10,275	4,875	10,800	No.
					23,752	17,725	21,034	7,43,800	4,43,075	5,14,325	"
					32,732	20,850	23,165	31,830	48,038	72,913	"
			3	12	126,240	167,732	141,975	31,554	41,038	35,838	"
					8,725	2,788	3,433	0,313	0,843	8,550	"
					78	200	98	88	220	105	Mds.

STATEMENT No. IV.—Showing the total Exports from British Territory, district by district.

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**TERRITORY INTO NEPAL.**

into Nepal during the year 1881-82 as compared with the totals of the two preceding years.

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# TRADE BETWEEN BENGAL

STATEMENT No. V—Showing the total Imports from, and Exports to, Sikkim of each during the year 1881-82, as compared

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Number.	LIST OF ARTICLES.	IMPORTS FROM SIKKIM.							
		WAPRE REGISTERED.		TOTAL.					
		Phy-dong.	Runjeet.	Quantity.			Value.		
				1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I	Animals, living (for sale)—								
	1.—Horses, ponies, and mules ... No.	636	7	213	390	643	15,975	29,250	49,235
	2.—Cattle ... ..	101	177	418	499	278	10,450	12,475	0,000
	3.—Sheep and goats ... ..	5,900	371	2,146	3,900	6,271	5,365	9,904	15,078
	4.—Poultry ... ..	14	5,127	1,170	2,660	5,141	293	492	1,298
	5.—Other kinds ... ..	...	112	106	241	112	265	603	270
IIa	Building material—								
	1.—Lime and limestone ... Mds.	...	3,179	1,078	4,353	3,179	1,213	4,998	3,386
III	Canes and rattans ... ..	...	33	...	...	...	15	30	38
IV	Caoutchouc ... ..	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...
VI	Coal and coke ... ..	...	1,238	904	478	1,238	621	322	918
VII	Cotton, raw ... ..	...	17	17	11	17	289	187	230
VIII	Cotton manufactured—								
	1.—Twist and yarn (European) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2.—Ditto (Indian) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3.—Piece-goods (European) ... Rs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4.—Ditto (Indian) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...
IX	Drugs and medicines—								
	2.—Other sorts, not intoxicating ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3.—Intoxicating drugs (other than Mds. opium). ... ..	...	...	4	11	...	1,500	4,125	...
X	Dyeing materials—								
	1.—Indigo ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2.—Madder or manjit ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3.—Turmeric ... ..	...	2	8	...	2	96	98	...
	4.—Other kinds ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	8
XI	Earthenware and porcelain ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	146	41	...
XII	Fibrous products—								
	4.—Other fibres, manufactured ... Mds.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XIII	Fruits, nuts and vegetables								
XIV	Grain and pulse—								
	1.—Wheat ... ..	255	2,015	1,758	3,295	3,168	3,596	6,590	6,480
	2.—Gram and pulse ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1,750	74	...
	3.—Other spring crops ... ..	...	339	688	200	339	2,322	705	818
	4.—Rice, husked ... ..	...	...	65	70	...	187	204	...
	5.—Rice unhusked ... ..	...	938	228	183	938	855	688	2,156
	6.—Other rain crops ... ..	...	2	5	3	2	11	7	3
XV	Gums and resins ... ..	3	10,350	23,460	10,332	10,250	44,920	20,664	23,047
XVI	Hides and skins—								
	1.—Hides of cattle ... No.	9	87	4	4	106	10	0	285
	2.—Skins of sheep, goats, and small animals. ... ..	...	105	...	1	105	...	1	140
XVII	Horns ... ..	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	30
XIX	Lac—								
	1.—Dye ... ..	...	...	22	...	...	660	...	...
	2.—Shell ... ..	2	...	6	12	2	300	600	90
	3.—Stick and other kinds ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XX	Leather—								
	2.—Manufactured ... ..	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	1
XXI	Liquors ... ..	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4
XXII	Mats ... ..	...	23	...	...	...	270	8	22
XXIII	Metals and manufactures of metals—								
	1.—Brass and copper ... ..	108	278	399	276	446	15,920	11,040	17,700
	2.—Iron ... ..	3	...	7	2	3	56	16	20
	3.—Other metals ... ..	22	...	...	19	22	...	570	600
XXIV	Oils ... ..	...	10	...	2	10	...	24	120
XXVI	Paints and colours ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXVII	Provision—								
	1.—Ghee ... ..	70	41	108	72	111	5,392	2,804	3,552
	2.—All other kinds ... ..	25	58	145	2,683	83	4,480	26,830	1,220
XXVIII	Salt ... ..	1,553	226	2,020	1,505	1,770	9,090	9,775	7,778
XXIX	Saltpetre, &c.—								
	2.—Other saline substances ... ..	...	1	...	2	1	...	10	5
XXX	Seeds—								
	1.—Oilseeds—								
	a.—Mustard and rape ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	c.—Til or gingelly ... ..	...	4	...	...	4	...	...	16
	2.—Other seeds—								
	a.—Indigo-seed ... ..	...	...	...	12	8	...	600	400
	b.—Pea-seed ... ..	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	c.—Other kinds ... ..	...	...	2	1	...	8	4	...
XXXI	Silk—								
	1.—Raw ... ..	...	...	3	...	...	1,650	...	...
	2.—Manufactured ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	760	...	...
XXXII	Spices ... ..	21	98	1	20	119	7	203	833
XXXIII	Stone and marble ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXIV	Sugar—								
	1.—Refined ... ..	...	...	6	...	...	96	...	...
	2.—Unrefined ... ..	...	1	17	...	1	128	...	7
XXXV	Tea—								
	1.—Indian ... ..	...	...	2	...	...	190	...	...
	2.—Foreign ... ..	64	...	...	...	64	...	...	3,520
XXXVI	Tobacco ... ..	...	...	...	4	...	...	26	...
XXXVII	Wood—								
	1.—Firewood ... ..	...	14	...	29	14	...	9	4
XXXVIII	Wool—								
	1.—Raw ... ..	...	...	...	5	...	...	80	...
	2.—Manufactured (piece-goods) ... Rs.	13,370	2,424	...	...	...	1,800	16,636	17,294
XXXIX	All other articles of merchandise—								
	1.—Unmanufactured ... ..	306	520	...	...	...	614	6,607	826
	2.—Manufactured ... ..	...	2,263	...	...	...	1,21,363	5,176	3,283
XI	Treasure—								
	2.—Silver ... ..	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	25
	TOTAL VALUE ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2,51,431	1,87,960	1,97,533



**AND SIKKIM**

articles of traffic, registered at the several Frontier Stations between Darjeeling and Sikkim with the totals of the two preceding years.

10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
EXPORTS TO SIKKIM.								LIST OF ARTICLES.
WHERE REGISTERED.		TOTAL.						
Phey-dong.	Banjeet.	Quantity.			Value.			
		1870-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1870-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No. Animal, living (for sale)—
.....	266	247	463	266	6,175	11,575	6,650	1.—Horses, ponies, and mules.
.....	290	651	1,274	296	1,628	3,120	740	2.—Cattle.
.....	215	708	1,677	215	177	120	54	3.—Sheep and goats.
.....	70	129	38	70	323	96	177	4.—Poultry.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.—Other kinds.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Building materials—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mds. 1.—Lime and limestone.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Rs. Canes and rattans.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mds. Caoutchouc.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Coal and coke.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cotton, raw.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cotton manufactured—
.....	.....	4	.....	.....	260	.....	.....	1.—Twist and yarn (European).
.....	.....	10	14	31	356	470	1,085	2.—Ditto ditto (Indian).
81	11,921	.....	.....	.....	17,304	29,744	29,121	Rs. 3.—Fibre-goods (European).
17,200	381	.....	.....	.....	75	2,592	362	4.—Ditto (Indian).
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Drugs and medicines—
80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	2.—Other sorts, not intoxicating.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mds. 3.—Intoxicating drugs (other than opium).
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dyeing materials—
45	.....	21	43	43	5,775	11,750	11,330	1.—Indigo.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Madder or manjif.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.—Turmeric.
23	4	4	.....	26	150	.....	810	5.—Other kinds.
10	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	1	16	Rs. Earthenware and porcelain.
2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	24	Fabrics products—
10	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	20	Mds. Other fibres, manufactured.
1	.....	8	.....	1	28	.....	3	Fruits, nuts, and vegetables—
4	3	321	167	7	1,084	831	17	2.—Vegetables and all other kinds.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Grain and pulse—
382	2,322	776	915	2,704	2,610	3,492	7,313	1.—Wheat.
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	2.—Gram and pulse.
525	.....	365	676	625	610	1,532	1,163	3.—Other spring crops.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.—Rice, husked.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.—Rice, unhusked.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.—Other rain crops.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gums and resins.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hides and skins—
.....	.....	1	7	.....	2	17	.....	No. 1.—Hides of cattle.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Skins of sheep, goats, and small animals.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mds. Horus.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Lac—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	1.—Dye.
12	4	.....	.....	12	400	.....	540	2.—Shell.
.....	.....	3	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	3.—Serk and other kinds.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Leather—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Manufactured.
.....	10	.....	.....	.....	6	14	.....	Liquors.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mats.
38	96	25	192	134	1,600	7,680	5,360	Mds. Metals and manufactures of metals—
63	31	9	35	96	72	.....	578	1.—Brass and copper.
8	27	.....	14	55	.....	420	1,050	2.—Iron.
.....	3	5	26	3	30	156	18	3.—Other metals.
117	22	.....	20	139	.....	1,490	10,920	Rs. Oils.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Paints and colours.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Provisions—
.....	.....	2	.....	.....	61	.....	.....	1.—Ghee.
28	28	192	97	56	1,920	370	840	2.—All other kinds.
.....	173	252	265	173	1,634	1,101	760	Rs. Salt.
.....	3	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	15	Saltpetre, &c.—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Other saline substances.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Seeds—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.—Oilseeds—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	b.—Mustard and rape.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	c.—Piper griseally.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Other seeds—
23	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....	181	a.—Indigo-seed.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	b.—Tea seed.
.....	5	.....	.....	5	.....	8	20	c.—Other kinds.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Silk—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.—Raw.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Manufactured.
93	11	30	106	104	252	742	728	Rs. Spices.
2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	6	Mds. Stone and marble.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sugar—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	1.—Refined.
15	1	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	121	2.—Unrefined.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Tea
.....	1	.....	3	1	.....	200	60	1.—Indian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Foreign.
414	205	803	1,265	706	5,905	8,916	4,609	Rs. Tobacco.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Wood—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Firewood.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Wool—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.—Raw.
200	28	.....	.....	.....	36	1,061	228	2.—Manufactured (piece-goods).
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	All other articles of merchandise
6	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	52	5	1.—Unmanufactured.
699	74	.....	.....	.....	206	388	763	2.—Manufactured.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Treasure.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.—Silver.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,085	80,828	86,911	TOTAL VALUE.

**STATEMENT No. VI.—Showing the Total Imports from, and Exports to, Bhutan, of each**  
**during the year 1881-82, as compared**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Number.	List of Articles.	IMPORTS FROM BHUTAN.								
		WHERE REGISTERED.			TOTAL.					
		Alien.	B. S.	Hautopart.	Quantity.			Value.		
					1870-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1870-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
								Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I	Animals, living (for sale) —									
	1.—Horses, ponies, and mules ... No.	383	17	112	1,990	207	519	1,49,250	12,975	38,400
	2.—Cattle ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
	3.—Sheep and goats ... ..	...	407	...	...	...	467	...	...	1,168
	4.—Poultry ... ..	...	904	...	35	...	964	0	...	242
	5.—Other kinds ... ..	10	35	...	...	18	51	...	45	128
IV	Caoutchouc ... .. Mds.	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	910	...
VII	Cotton, raw ... ..	...	...	...	...	2,807	...	...	47,719	...
VIII	Cotton manufactured —									
	1.—Twist and yarn (European) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3.—Piece-goods (European) ... .. Rs.	...	219	...	...	...	...	...	...	218
	4.—Ditto (Indian) ... ..	...	1,346	...	...	...	...	3,916	5,744	1,346
IX	Drugs and medicines —									
	2.—Other sorts, not intoxicating ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,296	275	...
X	Dyeing materials —									
	2.—Madder or manjit ... .. Mds	...	1,221	...	2,098	3,862	1,721	25,178	46,344	14,658
	4.—Turmeric ... ..	...	...	...	65	...	...	290	...	...
XI	Earthenware and porcelain ... .. Rs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XIII	Fruits, nuts, and vegetables —									
	2.—Vegetables and all other kinds Mds.	35	111	152	388	661	298	1,170	1,322	1,155
XIV	Grain and pulse —									
	1.—Wheat ... ..	...	67	...	41	...	67	134	...	160
	2.—Grain and pulse ... ..	...	...	...	...	157	...	...	590	...
	4.—Rice, husked ... ..	...	...	...	...	191	...	...	379	...
	5.—Rice, unhusked ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6.—Other rain crops ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XIX	Lac —									
	1.—Dye ... ..	...	...	...	7	...	...	210	...	...
	2.—Shell ... ..	...	51	...	...	353	51	17,750	2,536	...
	3.—Stuck and other kinds ... ..	...	...	...	46	119	...	1,610	4,165	...
XXIII	Metals and manufactures of metals —									
	1.—Brass and copper ... ..	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	...	160
	2.—Iron ... ..	...	7	...	434	101	7	3,472	808	43
	3.—Other metals ... ..	...	...	...	95	...	...	2,850	...	...
XXIV	Oils ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXV	Provisions —									
	1.—Ghee ... ..	120	173	30	592	357	329	17,024	11,424	10,528
	2.—All other kinds ... ..	...	18	...	...	...	18	...	...	270
XXVIII	Salt ... ..	12	24	...	119	90	36	536	447	156
XXIX	Saltpetre, &c —									
	1.—Saltpetre ... ..	...	...	...	110	...	...	680	...	...
XXX	Seeds —									
	1.—Oilseeds —									
	a.—Mustard and rape ... ..	...	...	...	...	328	...	...	1,373	...
XXXI	Silk —									
	2.—Manufactured ... .. Rs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,260	...	...
XXXII	Spices ... .. Mds.	...	11	...	...	10	11	...	322	77
	a.—Betelnuts ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXIV	Sugar —									
	1.—Refined ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2.—Unrefined ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXV	Tea —									
	1.—Indian ... ..	...	19	...	2	...	19	130	...	1,140
	2.—Foreign ... ..	...	11	...	...	...	11	...	...	606
XXXVI	Tobacco ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXVII	Wood —									
	2.—Firewood ... ..	...	1,732	...	...	...	1,732	...	...	540
XXXVIII	Wool —									
	2.—Manufactured (piece-goods) ... .. Rs.	8,349	5,599	1,117	...	...	...	1,08,442	40,417	17,364
XXXIX	All other articles of merchandise —									
	1.—Unmanufactured ... ..	1,135	10,642	325	...	...	...	55,445	21,614	19,102
	2.—Manufactured ... ..	9,960	12,130	...	...	...	...	3,650	26,059	22,390
	<b>TOTAL VALUE</b>							<b>3,45,406</b>	<b>2,43,922</b>	<b>1,25,448</b>

# BENGAL AND BHUTAN

article of Traffic, registered at the several Frontier Stations between Julpigoree and Bhutan, with the totals of the two preceding years.

11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
EXPORTS TO BHUTAN.									
WHERE REGISTERED.			TOTAL.						LIST OF ARTICLES.
Assam.	Bura.	Hantspore.	Quantity.			Value.			
			1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	
						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Animals, living (for sale)—
				3			75		No. 1.—Horses, ponies, and mules.
		3			3				2.—Cattle.
		800	82	43	600	21	11	150	3.—Sheep and goats.
									4.—Poultry.
									5.—Other kinds.
	94		325		94	5,525		1,598	Mds. Caoutchouc.
									Cotton, raw.
									Cotton manufactured—
1,278	17,471	68	1			65			1.—Twist and yarn (European).
682	400	56				51,962	27,871	18,817	2.—Piece-goods (European).
						5,351	546	1,117	3.—Ditto (Indian).
									Drugs and medicines—
									2.—Other sorts, not intoxicating.
				1,094			13,128		Dyeing materials—
62					62			1,860	Mds. 2.—Madder or maujit.
									4.—Turmeric.
									Rs. Earthenware and porcelain.
									Fruits, nuts and vegetables—
									2.—Vegetables and all other kinds.
									Grain and pulse—
									1.—Wheat.
	2		308	101	2	1,040	341	5	2.—Gram and pulse.
1,015	936	618	12,682	5,453	2,529	47,557	20,526	6,770	4.—Rice, husked.
785		1,138	5,519	7,194	1,924	12,418	16,257	2,405	5.—Rice, unhusked.
		21			21			47	6.—Other rain crops.
									Lac—
									1.—Dye.
									2.—Shell.
									3.—Stick and other kinds.
									Metals and manufactures of metals—
	9		33		9	1,320		360	1.—Brass and copper.
575	24	50	37	91	619	296	728	3,894	2.—Iron.
									3.—Other metals.
			3			18			Oils.
									Provisions—
									1.—Ghee.
									2.—All other kinds.
	63	284	65	355	347	203	1,598	1,406	Salt.
									Saltpetre, &c.—
									1.—Saltpetre.
									Seeds—
									1.—Oilseeds—
									b.—Mustard and rape.
									Silk—
543	775					250	661	1,315	2.—Manufactured.
200	2,827	21	3,418	4,740	2,548	51,608	75,384	38,946	Mds. Spices.
									a.—Betelnuts
									Sugar—
									1.—Refined.
160	150	40	345	228	305	2,688	1,712	2,738	2.—Unrefined.
									Ton—
									1.—Indian.
									2.—Foreign.
1,012	1,549		14,925	5,861	1,701	97,613	37,259	17,948	Tobacco.
									Wood—
									2.—Firewood.
	4,657					8,600	620	4,657	Rs. Wool.
	1,020							1,920	Manufactured (piece-goods).
									All other articles of merchandise—
									1.—Unmanufactured.
									2.—Manufactured
						2,89,584	1,96,947	1,05,108	TOTAL VALUE.









